

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

Sentencing Minute Sheet for the Honorable Fernando J. Gaitan, Jr., Chief U. S. District Judge,  
Kansas City, MO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
vs.  
JEROME SHADE HOWARD

Case No: 08-00297-02-CR-W-FJG

Date: 7/23/2010

Plaintiff Counsel  
Linda Parker Marshall, AUSA

Defendant Counsel  
Ronald Partee, CJA

Time Commenced: 9:57 a.m.

Time Terminated: 10:24 a.m.

**TOTAL TIME:** 27 minutes

Parties appear for hearing. Defendant sworn. There are no objections to the PSIR, and the Court adopts the guideline provisions w/o change. Court notes sentencing memos filed. Government counsel makes oral motion for downward departure and for leave to file the written motion under seal - both motions granted. Counsel make statements regarding sentence to be imposed. Defendant makes statement and allocution granted.

The Defendant is sentenced to Counts 1 and 27.

**INCARCERATION:** defendant committed to the custody of the BOP for a total term of 36 Months. Counts 1 & 27 - 36 months, each count, concurrent.

**SUPERVISED RELEASE:** defendant to be placed on 3 Years of supervised release. Counts 1 & 27: 3 years, each count, concurrent.

**FINE:** Waived.

**SPECIAL ASSESSMENT:** \$200.00 due immediately.

**RESTITUTION:** \$5,945,996.73 due immediately, joint and several, w/interest waived.

Mandatory drug testing is waived.

**SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISED RELEASE OR PROBATION:** See J&C for special conditions of supervised release or probation.

Upon oral motion of government counsel, the preliminary order of forfeiture is finalized and imposed and remaining counts are dismissed.

Upon defendant's request, the Court recommends that defendant serve the period of incarceration as close to southern CA as possible, in particular Terminal Island.

Defendant to self-surrender to BOP on 09/20/10.

Court Reporter: Gayle Wambolt

Rhonda Enss, Courtroom Deputy